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C O N F I D E N T I A L GABORONE 1368

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SUBJ: KHAMA MEETS KAUNDA IN LIVINGSTONE

CAPE TWON FOR EMBASSY

REFS: A) GABORONE 1357(NOTAL); B) LUSAKA 2021

1. DURING A CALL BY THE CHARGE ON SECRETARY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS MOOKODI, HE MENTIONED THE STORY REPORTED REF A. MOOKODI, WHO SAID HE HAD BEEN IN LIVINGSTONE WITH THE PRESIDENT, REPORTED THAT EVERYTHING ABOUT THE MEETING, INCLUDING DETAILS OF THE DISCUSSIONS, HAD BEEN HELD VERY CLOSELY, INCLUDING FROM MINISTERS. EVEN NOW THE PRESIDENT HAS NOT DISCUSSED WITH ANYONE HIS PRIVATE CONVERSATION WITH KAUNDA, ACCORDING TO MOOKODI.

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2. MOOKODI SUGGESTED THAT THE MEETING CAME ABOUT AT THE IN-

ITATIVE OF KAUNDA WHO HAD OFFERED TO BRIEF KHAMA FOLLOWING SEVERAL RECENT MEETINGS, INCLUDING THOSE IN DAR ES SALAAM WITH NYERERE AND MOBUTU.

3. MOOKODI NOTED THAT WHILE THE TWO PRINCIPALS WERE HOLDING THEIR PRIVATE CONVERSATION HE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO CHAT WITH MEMBERS OF THE ZAMBIAN ENTOURAGE. THE ZAMBIANS WERE MOST CONCERNED ABOUT DISCUSSING PROBLEMS OF UNITING "FREEDOM MOVEMENTS" IN ANGOLA PRIOR TO THE GRANTING OF INDEPENDENCE THERE AND ALSO IN RHODESIA WHERE INDEPENDENCE WAS FURTHER IN THE FUTURE.

4. COMMENT: BY ALL ACCOUNTS MEETING WAS, INDEED, CLOSELY HELD HERE. EVEN AT INDEPENDENCE DAY RECEPTION NIGHT BEFORE, THERE WAS NO SUGGESTION OF OR GOSSIP ABOUT SUCH A MEETING. MOOKODI WAS OBVIOUSLY VERY PLEASED AT THIS CAPABILITY FOR SECRECY ON THE PART OF THE PRESIDENT'S CLOSE ADVISERS. THOMSEN

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